# MEETING OF THE NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE

# Thursday, March 25, 2021 ◆ 6:45PM – 9:00PM

# Online Zoom Meeting AGENDA

Pursuant to Governor Baker's <u>Emergency Order Modifying the State's Open Meeting Law issued</u> March 12, 2020, the March 25, 2021 meeting of the Northampton School Committee will be held using remote participation.

PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE HELD VIRTUALLY DURING THE ZOOM MEETING FOR THE MARCH 25, 2021 SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING. WRITTEN TESTIMONY IS ALSO ENCOURAGED FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT ATTEND THE VIRTUAL MEETING.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY/COMMENTS MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE CLERK AT: <a href="mailto:anniethompson@northampton-k12.us">anniethompson@northampton-k12.us</a> UNTIL 5 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2021 TO BE INCLUDED AS PART OF THE PUBLIC RECORD FOR THAT MEETING.

JOIN ZOOM MEETING VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCING WEBSITE: https://zoom.us/j/96150985976

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DO NOT HAVE A PARTICIPANT NUMBER, ENTER #
PLEASE WAIT TO BE RECOGNIZED BY THE CHAIR
THE CHAIR WILL RECOGNIZE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC IN ORDER OF THEIR CALL

#### **AGENDA**

6:45 L. Roll Call

6:50 II. Public Comment

7:00 III. Announcements

## 7:05 IV. Recommended Actions – (VOTE by Consent Agenda)

# A. Approval of minutes:

- December 10, 2020 School Committee Meeting
- February 11, 2021 School Committee Meeting
- February 25, 2021 School Committee Budget Meeting

#### 7:10 V. New Business:

A. Discussion and VOTE: FY22 Budget

Camie Lamica & John Provost

- B. VOTE: to restore transportation for students in grades 7-12 who live more than two miles from school when their grades resume fully remote instruction.

  John Provost
- C. VOTE: to authorize the Superintendent to begin negotiations with a Business Administrator candidate or to reopen the search

  John Provost

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The listing of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

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8:15 VI. Executive Session: Request to Enter Executive Session under Massachusetts General Law Open Meeting Chapter 30A Sec 21(a)(3) To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares.

# 8:55 VI. Future Business and Meeting Dates (all meetings will be held via Zoom conferencing until further notice):

- Superintendent Evaluation Subcommittee: Thursday, April 1, 2021, 3:30PM
- Student Advisory Council: Thursday, April 8, 2021, 6:15PM
- School Committee Meeting: Thursday, April 8, 2021, 6:45PM
- School Committee Meeting: Thursday, April 22, 2021, 6:45PM
- First 2021 SC Retreat, Thursday: April 29, 2021, 7:00PM
- Second 2021 SC Retreat, Thursday: June 17, 2021 6:30PM

9:00 VII. Adjourn

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